

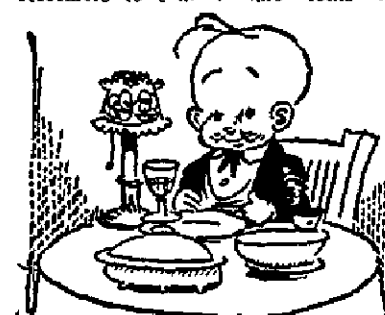
DAUGHERTY RESIGNS AT COOLIDGE'S REQUEST

Covington Ouster Dismissed

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious And Otherwise By "S. S."

Percy Craig says: "It's time for the reformers to catch some folks to



squeeze toothpaste out of the end of the tube instead of the middle."

Gales, maybe.

April fool's day Tuesday.

Johnnie Rizer out and about again.

Red Paschal's got a new spring tie.

Report \$34 diamond ring theft to police.

New drug store in 400 block Fifth street.

Vets Bureau claim investigator in town today.

Thousand chicks mailed to Port Arthur today.

SIGNS OF SPRING: Mart May without a vest.

March will have to improve to go out like a lamb.

Who is this K. M. Loois of the Gulf bowling loop?

Numerous cases set in Corporation Court for 2 o'clock.

Ouster against Police Chief Walter Covington dismissed.

Gas company driving pipe through under Waco avenue.

Federal court invitations being handed out, they say.

Sixty-four degrees coolest during night here last night.

Scout Court of Honor at Franklin tonight at 8 o'clock.

Storm warnings flying. It's a sou'easter, Carson advises.

Auction sale of customs service postponed till next Friday.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 18; at Beaumont, 5.

Houston orchestra will furnish the jazz at Department Club this evening.

Big kites put up on Plaza hotel grounds snared three trot lines this a. m.

Several of the "younger set" attended dance in Ninth End last night.

Beaching party of Port Arthurians on Thursday night found the gulf is still wintry.

Two gigantic kites broke loose to day and necessitated a chase of a few blocks.

High school band concert in Lions park next Thursday night, Oren Lantz, director, said today.

Charges of resisting arrest with fire arms lodged against negro who tried to break away from Detective C. E. Brown.

Pen Sander and Ted Demanelli brought in 48 frogs from a gigging expedition last night, Jake Burwick tells S. S.

More talking machine records for the marine patients at Mary Gates hospital added to the collection already on hand, this a. m.

Dredge Texas working night and day digging the Port Arthur ship canal to a depth of 50 feet and a bottom width of 150 feet.

As evidence that Shorty Waltrip, erstwhile telephone magnate, smokes good cigars, he's only carrying one at a time in his coat pocket these spring days.

Bill Adams won the hot of "Old Crow" at the Lions club today noon when he rolled a peanut off a level table with his nose, vanquishing all other opponents.

Cy Williams, St. Joe pitcher, avers you can always tell when the ball club has arisen in the mornings by watching the gang line up at the soda fountain over at McFulien & Glass.

Welcome was extended to Master O'Neal, weight eight pounds, when he arrived early today in Mary Gates hospital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. O'Neal, 1415 Seventh street.

M'DOWELL HAS NO JURISDICTION

Sustains Contentions of City Attorney's Office

RECALL ONLY METHOD

City Charter Provides Means To Suspend Officers

Ouster proceedings filed against Chief of Police Walter W. Covington today were dismissed by Judge E. A. McDowell in 19th district court. Beaumont, when the court ruled the case to be out of its jurisdiction.

Chief Covington was made the target of an ouster petition filed some two weeks ago which was originally set down for trial April 7. Attorneys for the defense and relators went before the court today to submit their pleadings as to the law governing the case.

Exceptions Upheld

The four exceptions filed to the petition were upheld by the court. The relators were recognized in Judge McDowell's decision to dismiss the case because of the lack of jurisdiction in the matter.

In the petition filed in an effort to ouster the police chief he was charged generally with malfeasance in office, but no specific instance was named, according to the exception filed by Walter and White in Covington's defense.

The four attacks made against the petition filed against Covington were that it was insufficient and that in itself it did not confer power on the district court to sit on the case.

Petition Insufficient

It was specifically charged that the petition was insufficient in as much as it had not been signed, nor accompanied by County Prosecutor Marvin Scourlock, nor any other attorney legally authorized to represent the state of Texas. The action of the judge in dismissing the case, however, was taken independently of the fact the petition had not been signed by the county attorney.

The second attack launched against the petition is that it is not sworn to positively and with sufficient definiteness, setting forth the specific instances cited.

The third angle of the exceptions taken to the petition by attorneys for Covington is that in seeking to have a district judge sit on the matter the petition violated the Home Rule Amendment to the state constitution, which provides exclusive powers to cities of more than 5,000 population in regulating their own affairs. This amendment had been adopted by the city of Port Arthur, defense attorneys contended. In this same line of attack it was shown Chief Covington was an elective officer of the city and not of the county or state. The constitution provides a state or county officer may be removed by a district judge.

Charter Amended

The last exception taken to the petition of the relators was that the provision of the charter upon which the petition was based had been amended and the old part was no longer part of the city charter. The new amendment provides for the recall of an elective officer of the city by a vote of the people.

In the exceptions filed, it was shown according to the decision, that the district court had no jurisdiction in the matter and ordered the suit dismissed.

NEW MEXICO RELIEF BILL IS REPORTED

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The Jones bill appropriating \$1,000,000 for drought relief in New Mexico was reported favorably by the house committee on agriculture today. The bill has already passed the senate.

UNSETTLED; RAIN

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight, showers, colder.

PORT ARTHUR: Tonight, showers, colder; tomorrow, showers, colder.

LOUISIANA: Tonight, showers, colder; tomorrow, showers, colder.

TEXAS: Tonight, showers, colder; tomorrow, showers, colder.

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'Blooie' Brown Asks for Venue Change In Case

Stork Visits Birth Control Advocate

LEATHERHEAD, Eng., March 28.—Mrs. Marie Stopes, world famous birth control advocate, has just given birth to a baby boy weighing 3-4 pounds.

"People imagine we don't want children just because my wife advocates birth control," H. V. Rae, Mrs. Stopes' husband, said.

In his plea for a change in the trial to another district Shaw alleged there was a "dangerous combination of citizens" arrayed against Brown in this and other cases pending against him.

Incidents Recalled

Incidents following the slaying at Port Arthur last August of Detective B. A. Harris were brought out in an effort to show feeling in Port Arthur to be against Brown, who surrendered to Beaumont authorities the night after the detective's death.

Attorneys for Brown were questioned relative to their opinion as to the ability of Brown to get a "fair and impartial" trial in Jefferson county.

Questioned by Shaw relative to Brown's reputation in Port Arthur, Attorney Johnson stated he did not think there was any combination in Port Arthur against Brown, but he believed there was a great deal of prejudice.

He stated further he did not feel Brown could get a fair trial before Port Arthur people, but would venture no opinion as to the feeling of the remainder of Jefferson county. He stated, however, that he had utmost faith in the integrity of Port Arthur people.

Indictments Due

Grand Jury Expected to Report Late Today

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, March 28.—The grand jury of the 60th district court will adjourn this afternoon at which time a number of new bills will probably be returned.

That the grand jury without a doubt has some important matter under observation, however, is indicated by the fact that county books have been examined thoroughly in the past few days.

McAlbert Opposes Cigarette Smoking

"I'm opposed to excessive eating; my mission is to preach to the people of our country that they're using too much food stuff that has no real food value; I am opposed to the cigarette, coffee and white bread; none of these are essentials, none of them help you."

These are the remarks of McAlbert, "The Miracle Man," who addressed members of the Lions Club today noon during their regular weekly luncheon at Plaza hotel.

McAlbert entertained the club with a series of remarks against excessive eating and indulgence in foods that do not have the correct combination, his talk being interspersed with a bit of original humor that kept the club laughing.

JURY FAILS TO AGREE ON TRAFFIC CHARGE

Inability of a jury of six men to agree caused charges of violating a traffic ordinance to be dismissed yesterday afternoon by Justice of the Peace W. F. James. A driver for John Rizer was charged with driving a car with the cab open, but the charges were withdrawn when the jury failed to reach a verdict.

Love, Business, Financial Queries Are Asked McAlbert

'Miracle Man' Receives Hundreds of Letters From Those Who Would Know Future

The walking encyclopedia—at least that's what Port Arthur people call him—of McAlbert, the Miracle Man, who has been answering hundreds of questions daily through The News.

Love affairs, business affairs, domestic affairs and some foreign affairs have been laid before McAlbert for his answer. He will answer questions through The News for the remainder of this week. Be sure and sign your name and address. Answers will be printed under your initials only.

J. N. B.—I see success in the proposition.

Mrs. M. G.—The trouble will get better.

Mrs. R. P.—You will some time see your son.

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OIL PROBERS IN INTERNAL ROW

Spencer Calls Brother Of Senator Walsh

HAYS DENIES CHARGE

Says He Never Received Money From Hamon

BY PAUL R. MALLON United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON, March 28.

In a turbulent session of the senate oil committee today, Senator Thomas Walsh, Montana, charged that Senator Sheldon Spencer, republican, Missouri, a member of the committee, had subpoenaed John Walsh, his brother, "to cast malicious suspicions upon me."

Brother on Stand

John Walsh was put on the stand before the committee today after Senator Walsh insisted, but Spencer questioned him only perfunctorily, declaring he was not ready for a thorough examination.

John Walsh denied that he had any connection with any Sinclair or Dobson Oil Companies or was in any way connected with the leases made by Albert B. Fall.

The sharp conflict between Spencer and Walsh widened the breach between the two senators and the democratic members of the committee.

Walsh said that if there was any objection to his motion to strike out the testimony of his brother, he would withdraw it.

Senator Walsh then asked that he be permitted to point out that Spencer was "in error in a statement to the committee several days ago."

Spencer in his statement said the record showed that a large portion of the government reserves had been leased by the democrats—that 785 wells had been drilled in California and 785 leases made. "The drilling was on patent land within the reserve,"

When the committee met today, Chairman Ladd read a telegram from Will Hays denying he had ever received \$25,000 from Jake Hamon in connection with a "deal" at the last republican convention as charged by Al Jennings, former bandit, yesterday.

POINCARÉ IN SURPRISE OFFER

Asks France's Richest Man To Take Post

By WEBB MILLER U. P. Staff Correspondent

PARIS, March 28.—Premier Poincaré's new cabinet, complete with the selection of three posts yet to be filled, was announced late today.

The most striking feature is the acceptance by Louis Loucheur, the wealthiest of French industrialists, of the post of minister of commerce and posts and telegraphs. Francois Marsal fills the difficult post of minister of finance.

Loucheur has been a critic of Poincaré on frequent occasions and is author of the famous declaration that this country never will be able to pay her debt to the United States.

New \$19,000 Home

O. E. Scott Starts Work On Handsome Residence

Work has been started on the new home of A. E. Scott, president and manager of Scott & Walter furniture company. When completed the home will cost \$19,000 and it is to be constructed of interlocking tile and vitrified face brick of oak bark pattern.

It will be one story and consist of seven rooms. An arched heating system is to be installed and the roof will be of glazed Spanish tile. It is located at the corner of Fifth avenue and Sixth street in the Model addition.

Storm Warning Here Predicts Hard Wind

Strong to fresh southerly winds, and probably gales, are predicted for this afternoon and tonight in a storm warning received in Port Arthur from Clive, of New Orleans, Ernest Carson, U. S. Weather bureau observer, said today.

The message to Carson is as follows: "Tropical southeast storm warnings, Texas coast, 8:30 a. m. Disturbance of marked latents central over eastern Colorado will move eastward and cause fresh to strong southerly wind and probably gales this afternoon and tonight."

Attorney General Forced Out When He Refuses to Quit

Attorney General Resigns



Harry M. Daugherty, Attorney General of the United States, who resigned today at President Coolidge's request.

PRESIDENT IN EXPLICIT NOTE

Could No Longer Rely On Official's Advice

DISMISSAL SUDDEN

Washington Surprised By Dramatic Turn

BY A. L. BRADFORD United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—At the request of President Coolidge, Attorney General Daugherty resigned from the cabinet.

The resignation was announced from the White House where Daugherty's letter according to the president's demands was given out.

Ouster Comes Suddenly

The ouster of the attorney general came with dramatic suddenness after weeks of speculation as to how long President Coolidge would press the demands that he put him out.

Many of Coolidge's intimate friends and numerous republican leaders in the senate and congress, however, Coolidge insistently to act for the good of the party.

Even indirect methods were employed to indicate to Daugherty that it would please the president if he got out.

Daugherty Admitted

But Daugherty remained adamant. He would leave, he said, only if guilty of misconduct in office were proved against him, or if Coolidge personally demanded it.

Meanwhile the senate committee investigating his conduct of the department of justice, began hearings which to date have developed the most extraordinary and sensational stories of intrigue, "deals" of all kinds and the interchange of huge sums of money for mysterious purposes—interchange between men, according to the testimony, who were intimate friends of Daugherty or involved with friends of his.

The resignation was brought about by a letter sent to Daugherty yesterday by President Coolidge requesting the attorney general to leave, which was replied to today with a request by Daugherty that the resignation be effective immediately.

The committee investigation, Chairman Wheeler announced, will go on.

Daugherty's letter follows:

"My Dear Mr. President:

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 27 by the hand of your secretary requesting my resignation as Attorney General of the United States.

Solely out of deference and in compliance therewith I hereby tender my resignation. While you do not state when you desire my resignation to become effective, I must respectfully request that it become effective forthwith.

"Yours very truly,

"H. M. Daugherty,

"Attorney General."

The president's letter to Daugherty follows:

"My Dear Attorney General

"Since my conference with you, I have examined the proposed reply you suggest making to the demand that you furnish the committee investigating the department of justice with files from that department, relating to litigation and the bureau of investigation. You represent to me and the committee in your letter that it would not be compatible with the public interests to comply with the demand and conclude your letter with a statement that I approve that position. Certainly I approve the well established principle that departments should not give out information or documents where such a course would be detrimental to the public interests and this principle is always peculiarly applicable to your department which has such an intimate relation to the administration of justice. That you will readily perceive that I am unable to form an independent judgment in this instance without a long and intricate investigation of voluminous papers, which I cannot personally make and so I should be compelled to follow the usual practice in such cases and rely upon your advice (Turn to Page 2, Column 1.)

Labor Regime Is On Verge of Fall

TELLS FISHERMEN HOW TO PREPARE CATCH FOR TABLE

LOTS of fellows have ideas about how to catch queer fish, but here's a fan that knows a new way to get a kick out of eating some of the fish the others have been planning to catch.

This gent, who signs his monickers as just plain: "W. D. G.", has this to say:

"Fishy Editor:

"You sportsmen have been doing a lot of shooting off at high pressure on how to catch cross-eyed whiz-bangs, Antidotes and one thing and another, but the most important thing to my mind is the way the house wife should prepare these fishes for the table so they will be edible.

Now the proper way to cook these fish is this: Clean Mr. Fish good and clean. Get about two quarts of the best oysters in town, some nice fresh bread and sage grass and add a couple of quarts of fresh milk. From this conglomeration, mix thoroughly and produce a healthy dressing. Stuff the fish good and full with same dressing and bake him up tight, using No. 30 white bread. Now get about two pounds of choice bacon, cut little slits in the side of the fish and insert bacon on one side and down the other until all slits are filled. The fish is all set now for the oven.

"Now go out and get a nice pine board, put the fish on this board and place in a good hot oven, and make both sides till fish turns brown. Remove from oven, throw the fish away and eat the board. "It's more digestible."

Baby Boy Injured When Hit By Car

A. P. Bloch, two-and

G. O. P. Official Offered to Sell Judgeship, Former Congressman Swears

WANTED \$35,000 TO GET HONORS

Gaston Means' Partner in Probes Testifies

BY FRAZER EDWARDS
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, March 28.—Former Representative J. Vanvleet Olcott, of New York, today told the senate committee investigating the department of justice that Gaston Means, a member of the national republican club, two years ago offered to secure his appointment as a federal judge for \$35,000.

Olcott is a republican. He served two terms in congress, 1904-1908, from the 15th New York district.

Refused Offer
Olcott said he rejected the offer and felt that it was his duty to inform the committee of the incident.

So far as he knew, Olcott said, Means did not represent anyone in the department of justice.

"When this man came to me and told me that my name was prominently mentioned for a place on the bench I was naturally flattered," said Olcott.

"After we talked the matter over, he said 'you know a little money will be necessary.'"

I told him that I was highly appreciative of the honor but I could not understand putting up any money.

"What amount did he mention?"
"Oh, let's forget it."

"He said that I should pay \$10,000 when my name was sent to the senate and \$25,000 when I was confirmed."

"What did you say to that?"
"I said 'let's forget it.'"

Wilson said he was "representing the boys."

"Did he mention the names of the boys?"
"No."

"Was he prominently identified with politics in New York?"

"He was a member of the National Republican Club. I never heard of him holding office. He called to see me shortly after the introduction of a bill in congress to increase the number of federal district judges."

Probes Aircraft Case
Allen T. Pickering, an accountant with the Central Steel company of Pittsburgh, formerly in the army air service, was called to the stand.

Pickering said that he had investigated the accounts of the standard aircraft case in conjunction with Gaston B. Means and Captain H. L. Seal, former department of justice agent.

Pickering testified that Howard Mingle, president of the Standard Aircraft Corporation, withheld records of the company from him and Means when they were sent to get the accounts.

Recommended Recovery
"What did you do in regard to the case?"

"I recommended that several million dollars, I can't recall the exact amount, should be returned to the government."

"And what was done about it?"
"So far as I know no recovery has been made."

"You investigated other cases?"
"Yes, I investigated the Wright-Martin Aircraft Corporation, Duesenberg Motors, Nordyke and Macdonald, and supervised a number of others."

PRESIDENT

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as attorney general and head of the department of justice.

Daugherty's Position
"That you will see at once that the committee is investigating your personal conduct and behavior, and that you have become an interested party, and the committee wants these papers because of a claim that they disclose your personal conduct of the department. Assuming that the request of the committee is appropriately limited to designated files, still the question will always be the same. In view of the fact that the inquiry relates to your personal conduct you are not in a position to give me or the committee what would be the disinterested advice as to the public interest. You have a personal interest in this investigation which is being made of the conduct of yourself and your office, which may be in conflict with your official interest as the attorney general."

"I am not questioning your fairness or integrity. I am merely reciting the facts that you are placed in two positions, one your personal, the other your office of attorney general, which may be in conflict. How can I satisfy a request for action in matters of this nature on the ground, you, as attorney general advise against it when you as the individual against whom the inquiry is directed necessarily have a personal interest in it? I do not see how you can be acting for yourself in your own defense in this matter and at the same time and on the same question acting as my adviser as attorney general."

Regrets Situation
"These two positions are incompatible and cannot be reconciled. I am sure you will see that it is necessary

Vacationing



Former Governor of Ohio James M. Cox (left) is shown here in Miami, Fla., with William Jennings Bryan. Probably talking over politics, as they both are more or less interested in that subject.

For me to have the advice of a disinterested attorney general, in order that I may discharge the duties of my office in this and other matters.

I feel certain that you will know how deeply I regret that this situation has arisen. It only illustrates the difficulties which are certain to recur with ever increasing embarrassment and your inability to perform satisfactorily the duties of attorney general under present conditions. You will readily understand that it is not now my intention to produce the results which remain to be developed in this investigation. I recognize that you are entitled to a full and fair hearing. But as there is no way by which you can direct yourself of the interest you have personally in the investigation I can see no way but for you to retire as attorney general, and I am therefore compelled to request your resignation.

"Very truly yours,
Calvin Coolidge"

The resignation requested by Daugherty's resignation yesterday when his secretary C. H. Brown Slump delivered Mr. Coolidge's letter dated March 27 to Daugherty.

Investigation to Continue
Daugherty's reply, preventing his resignation and requesting that it be made effective at once, was dated today and was taken to President Coolidge this morning by Warren E. Martin, special assistant to the attorney general.

The resignation of Attorney General Daugherty will not halt the senate investigation of his administration.

Senator Wheeler said when told of Daugherty's resignation.

MILES IN BEAUMONT
City Clerk E. H. Miles, today was in Beaumont attending the hearing of the eastern proceedings instituted against Chief of Police Covington.

Miles was used to identify numerous technical points arising out of the passage of an amendment to the city charter changing the method of removing elective officers of the city.

Dickens' old reliable eye water relieves sore eyes from grits and dust.

—Ad.

Frosty Mornin' Blues
Easy Come, Easy Go, Blues
Bessie Smith

Mama Doo Shae Blues
Worried Mama Blues
Ida Cox

A Woman Gets Tired of One Man All of the Time
That Gal Ain't Born Who Can Treat Me Like You Do
14002—George Williams

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DAUGHERTY IN FIGHTING MOOD

Leaves For Atlantic City After Statement

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, March 28.—Former Attorney Harry M. Daugherty left Washington for Atlantic City immediately after resigning from the cabinet today.

Solicitor General James M. Brock will become acting attorney general, according to statute, until a successor to Daugherty is appointed by the president.

Daugherty Takes Rest
Daugherty intends to rest for a few days in Atlantic City before returning here to close up a few personal matters.

Beyond that he has formulated no definite plans his confidential assistant, Warren F. Martin, announced.

Daugherty indicated he still was in a fighting mood, after his resignation.

Asserting that President Coolidge's action was "most untimely," Daugherty, in a seven page letter to the president, given out today at the department of justice, said Mr. Coolidge was following a "dangerous doctrine" in suggesting that "an attack upon a cabinet officer disqualifies him for further official service."

Charges "intended"
"All the pretentious charges against me are false," continued Daugherty. "But whether true or false, if a member of the cabinet is to be incapacitated or disqualified by the preference of charges against him, no matter how malicious or groundless, and he is compelled to give up his responsible position and sacrifice his honor for the time being because of such attack, no man in any official position is safe and the most honorable, upright and efficient public servant could be swept from office and stable government destroyed by chaos."

"I cannot escape the conviction, Mr. President, that your request for my resignation is almost untimely. It comes at a time when truth is banishing falsehood from the public mind, even though I have not as yet had an opportunity to place upon the witness stand before the senate committee a single witness in my defense or in explanation or rebuttal of the whispered and gossiping charges against me."

Attacks Temp. Probers
Daugherty then launched an assault on the character of the senate investigation and the men that are conducting it, asserting that some of them have openly, bitterly and falsely assailed him under senatorial immunity. He said the senate hearings are conducted in defiance of all rules of evidence, declaring that the witnesses against him are "blackmailers, bootleggers, confessed corruptionists and discharged and discredited government employees, not one of whom has given testimony that would be admitted as evidence in the most loosely conducted courts of the land."

Daugherty said he knew the president had been urged to retire him on the ground of "party expediency." In this connection he revealed he had offered to resign since Mr. Coolidge became president "when I could have done so without criticism," and reminded the president that he had both times refused to accept the resignation and had expressed "entire satisfaction with the splendid accomplishments of the department of justice under my administration."

Hated Cowardice
He stood his ground under fire, Daugherty declared, "because I believe that cowardice and surrender of principle are never expedient and that every sacrifice of justice to clamor

for me to have the advice of a disinterested attorney general, in order that I may discharge the duties of my office in this and other matters.

I feel certain that you will know how deeply I regret that this situation has arisen. It only illustrates the difficulties which are certain to recur with ever increasing embarrassment and your inability to perform satisfactorily the duties of attorney general under present conditions. You will readily understand that it is not now my intention to produce the results which remain to be developed in this investigation. I recognize that you are entitled to a full and fair hearing. But as there is no way by which you can direct yourself of the interest you have personally in the investigation I can see no way but for you to retire as attorney general, and I am therefore compelled to request your resignation.

"Very truly yours,
Calvin Coolidge"

The resignation requested by Daugherty's resignation yesterday when his secretary C. H. Brown Slump delivered Mr. Coolidge's letter dated March 27 to Daugherty.

Investigation to Continue
Daugherty's reply, preventing his resignation and requesting that it be made effective at once, was dated today and was taken to President Coolidge this morning by Warren E. Martin, special assistant to the attorney general.

The resignation of Attorney General Daugherty will not halt the senate investigation of his administration.

Senator Wheeler said when told of Daugherty's resignation.

MILES IN BEAUMONT
City Clerk E. H. Miles, today was in Beaumont attending the hearing of the eastern proceedings instituted against Chief of Police Covington.

Miles was used to identify numerous technical points arising out of the passage of an amendment to the city charter changing the method of removing elective officers of the city.

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—Ad.

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Bessie Smith

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PT. ARTHUR BOY IS ACQUITTED

Pistol Charge Against Daugherty Beaten

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, March 28.—Port Arthurians were defendants in all three courts in session here Friday morning. The W. W. Covington removal case came up for hearing before Judge McDowell, the case of J. B. Brown, charged with transporting intoxicating liquor was started before Judge O'Brien and M. Daugherty, a young Port Arthur man, was given a hearing before Judge C. N. Ellis in county court at law, charged with carrying a pistol. He was found not guilty by a jury in a short time.

Court Docket
Nita Boudreaux vs. Ludwell Boudreaux.
Cohen Messer vs. S. B. Messer.
Marriage Licenses.
J. E. Bishop and Mrs. Nixie Colton.
Fred Lavitch and Mrs. Mildred Harris.
Eric Kasper and Miss Lillian McGibbons.
Monroe Blanchard and Miss Eva Knepp.
John Espre and Mary Barclay.
Automobile Licenses.
E. L. Leggett, Honey Island, Essex.
Charles Hollier, 547 Ninth street, Port Arthur, Ford.
J. E. Virgilio, 300 Sherman street, Port Arthur, Ford.
H. L. Ware, First National bank building, Port Arthur, Dodge.
Walter May, 121 Lake Shore drive, Port Arthur, Ford.

Sheppard Replies To Port Arthur Lions
A communication from Morris Sheppard, United States senator from Texas, acknowledging receipt of a letter from the Port Arthur Lions club, a read before the local organization today noon during their regular weekly luncheon at Plaza hotel, approving the stand of local Lions on the proposed Johnson Narcotic bill before congress.

A similar communication from Representative John C. Box was also read.

STATE CONVENTION OF LIONS MAY 5
The state convention of the Lions club will be held May 5 and 6 at Paris, Texas, and Governor Pat M. Neff will be among the principal speakers in attendance. It was announced at the regular weekly luncheon of the local Lions club today noon in Plaza hotel dining room.

Delegates from Port Arthur who attend the meeting will go unaccompanied.

DAUGHTER OF ELLIS LEAVES HOSPITAL
Mrs. G. H. Smith daughter of Judge and Mrs. E. N. Ellis, injured some two weeks ago in an auto accident near Baytown was removed from the hospital at Houston to her home. The complete recovery of Mrs. Smith is expected in near future. It is believed.

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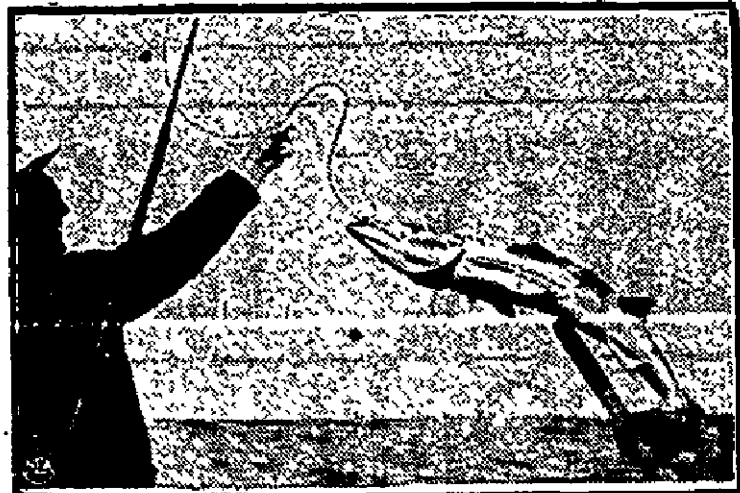
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N. Jerlaw of Chicago pulled this big barroude, tiger of the sea, down at Long Key, Fla. The photographer was on hand when he did it.

MERCHANTS JOIN BIG TRADE WEEK

60 Sign Up to Offer Special Bargains

"They're coming in, and it's going to be a big thing for Port Arthur," Art L. Burge, Chamber of Commerce secretary-manager, said this morning in speaking of the Trades and Bargains week which will be conducted here during the coming month.

Records show that over 60 business men have signified their support for the proposed bargain campaign, the following having signed with the Retail Merchants Association:

Dickinson, B. & P. Cash Grocery, Holton Theatres, The Vogue, W. P. McFarland, P. W. Woolworth, First National Bank, Habers, Inc., Model Store, City Bakery, The Hodges Company, The Star Store, J. Reich, L. C. Gormier & Co., Eclipse Market No. 1, Williams Furniture Company, R. Smith (Port Arthur Cash Grocery), Scott-Walker Furniture Co., Goldhor's, Griffing Nursery, Federal Bakery, Trout Studio, Harry J. May & Co., Home Laundry, Deuster's Dept. Store, Vanzhan-Pace Furniture Co., McMullen & Glass, Hart Drug Co., S. H. Wellborn, Kidd-Huss Co., Keith Shoe Co., C. T. Baker, G. W. Imhoff Co., E. P. Baker, Andrus Parks, Bert Hughes Tire Co., Briley Plumbing Co., Electric Supply, Ross & Ford, K. C. Rogers Music Co., Smart Shop, J. Imhoff & Son, E. D. Sutherland, The Hub Company, Sun Social, Dovers, Inc., Richard & Myers, Leader Clothing, Crowell & Gifford, Kach Shoe Co., Austin Avenue Tire Co., Phoenix Furniture Co., City Drug Store, Electric Shop, Seven Auto Laundry, Ader & Paschal, Jacob & Lipoff, Merchants National Bank, Globe Tailoring Co., Effenberger, Jeweler, Dismukes Plumber, Row, Tailor, Peoples Gas Company, M. S. Warren, Kleas Drug Co., Perkins Cycle Co., E. A. Templeman, Corner Drug Co., City Tailoring Co., Millers, Brocks Shop, Wellers Department Store.

For the first time in at least five years every major league club is paying particularly attention to that feature of play.

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